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Sent: 5/13/2022 3:54:01 PM

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Subject: FW: USEPA letter to BASF from June 06 2000

Attachments: 2000_06_21 USEPA Letter to BASF NW_Alternatives for Corrective Measures Study.pdf

FYI. I wanted to let you know that Art has begun to email me directly.

Shilpa

From: Ostaszewski, Arthur (EGLE) <OSTASZEWSKIA@michigan.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 12, 2022 2:27 PM

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Subject: Fw: USEPA letter to BASF from June 06 2000

I had sent this letter to only Valerie back in March, im including Shilpa on this one.

Many federal and state staff are relatively new to BASF NW, so I understand the willingness to "go with the schedule".

I am staff that has been on this project for 20 years now under RCRA, and 10 years before that with Water Resources Division.

There has been 5 project managers at EPA in the past 20 years for BASF, and 4 state project managers on BASF in that same timeframe.

I have a different view and timetable and have heard this tune before.

Please see the attached letter and consider what is different today in 2022 than what BASF provided and committed to EPA 20 years ago in writing on June 06, 2000.

Thanks,

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Sent: Thursday, March 24, 2022 2:26 PM **To:** Voisin, Valerie < Voisin. Valerie@epa.gov>

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Subject: USEPA letter to BASF from June 2000 from EGLE files.

Valerie,

Im going thru some historic files on BASF from our record center, and ran across this one today that I thought Id share and should know about.

It is from BASF directly to USEPA in June of 2000, pertaining to Corrective Measures at North Works that BASF was proposing, namely,

findings in the RFI, BASF and Parsons ES propose fashioning corrective measure alternatives that incorporate the following elements:

- Hydraulic barriers to separate on-site groundwater from off-site groundwater and from surface water.
- Groundwater recovery and collection systems.
- Treatment systems to remove chemicals from groundwater before discharge.

These individual elements are discussed further in the following paragraphs.

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